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January 31, 1943

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Thornton, N. H.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator—Charles F. Descary

Town Clerk—Irma Sullivan

Town Treasurer—Irma Sullivan

Selectmen—Clayton Ham, Charles F. Descary, Everett E. Caldon

Tax Collector—Ida Horner

Overseer of Poor—Ralph Steele

Auditors—Nellie Adams, Olive Benton

Supervisors of Check List—Ralph Steele, Norton White, Stearl Hazeltine

Road Agents—District No. 1, Leroy Uhlman
District No. 2, Scott Benton
District No. 3, Fred Adams

Fire Wardens—Bert Benton, Lester W. Bradley, Spencer Ham, Carl Broad

Health Officer—Ralph Steele

Library Trustees—Frances Avery, Christie Caldon

Police Officer—Ralph Steele

Superintendent of Cemeteries—Scott Benton

Trustees of Trust Funds—Scott Benton, Kenneth W. Robbins, Glenroy Howland

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Thornton in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town House in said Thornton on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Highways and Bridges for the ensuing year and make appropriation for the same.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for State Aid Construction and make appropriation for the same.

5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Libraries above what the law requires.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Memorial Day.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the care of Town Poor and Old Age Assistance and make appropriation for the same.

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

9. To see if the Town will vote to allow 3% discount on taxes paid before September first.

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Cemeteries.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $42.48 for the White Mountain Region Association.

12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to fight the White Pine Blister Rust and make appropriation for same.

13. To see if the Town will vote to charge 20 cents on poll taxes not paid by December 1st of each year during which the tax was assessed.

14. To see if the Town will vote to provide for Non-Partisan Ballot System for Town Elections, and School and Village District Elections, as provided by Statute.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise $100.00 for the repair and proper upkeep of the West Thornton Bridge.

16. To see if the Town will vote to create a Town Planning Board as provided by Chapter 53 of the Revised Laws.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 22nd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-three.

CLAYTON S. HAM,
CHARLES F. DESCARY,
EVERETT E. CALDON,
Selectmen of Thornton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLAYTON S. HAM,
CHARLES F. DESCARY,
EVERETT E. CALDON,
Selectmen of Thornton.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF THORNTON, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1943 to January 31, 1944, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year February 1, 1942 to January 31, 1943.

Sources of Revenue

	Actual 1942	Estimated 1943
From State		
Interest and dividends tax	$ 118.18	$ 118.18
Railroad tax	73.41	73.41
Savings bank tax	161.77	161.77
For fighting forest fires	5.25	5.25
From Local Sources Except Taxes		
Motor vehicle permit fees	391.81	191.81
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes		
Temporary notes	2,500.00	2,000.00
Cash on Hand (Surplus)	2,326.38	2,326.38
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes		
Poll taxes	486.00	486.00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	$ 6,062.80	$ 5,362.80
* Amount to be raised by property taxes	$11,096.59	
Total revenues	$17,159.39	$16,459.39

Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual 1942	Estimated 1943
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government		
Town officers' salaries	$ 1,063.50	$ 1,000.00
Town officers' expenses	161.87	150.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	215.75	200.00
Protection of Persons and Property		
Fire department	39.38	139.38
Health		
Vital statistics	13.00	13.00
Highways and Bridges		
Town maintenance	3,746.60	3,500.00
Libraries		
Libraries	89.22	50.00
Public Welfare		
Public welfare	200.00	200.00
Town poor	280.06	200.00
Old age assistance	558.18	658.18
Patriotic Purposes		
Memorial day and other celebrations	8.00	8.00
Recreation		
Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts	84.96	42.48
Public Service Enterprises		
Cemeteries	106.92	
Interest		
Interest	40.00	40.00
On temporary loans	2,000.00	2,000.00

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements		
Highways and Bridges		
Town construction	157.70	100.00
State aid construction town's share	1,464.64	262.64
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		
County taxes	1,265.46	1,265.46
Payments to school districts	3,625.64	3,625.64
Total expenditures	$15,120.88	$ 13,454.78

* Total estimated "Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land and buildings	$351,180.00
Electric plants	54,950.00
Horses, 63	5,925.00
Oxen, 2	200.00
Mule	25.00
Cows, 154	6,555.00
Other neat stock, 33	1,220.00
Sheep, 61	366.00
Wood and lumber	8,550.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	835.00
Stock in trade	3,100.00
Total	$432,906.00
Amount exempted to soldiers	$ 7,400.00
Amount of taxes assessed on property	$11,096.59
Poll taxes, 243	$ 486.00
Taxes committed to collector	$11,582.59
Rate per hundred	$ 2.61

Appropriations

Town officers' salaries	$ 1,000.00
Town officers' expenses	100.00
State aid construction	1,254.00
Town maintenance	3,500.00
Plymouth hospital	200.00
Town construction, Mill Brook	250.00
New equipment, Fire Department	250.00
Libraries	50.00
Old age assistance	350.00
Town poor	300.00
Memorial Day	8.00
County tax	1,265.46

School tax	4,790.14
White Mountain Region Association	42.48
Total	$13,360.08

Estimated Revenues and Credits

Interest and dividend tax	$ 117.58
Railroad tax	75.14
Savings bank tax	140.81
Motor vehicle permit fees	554.86
Reimbursement account state and federal lands	1,189.10
Overlay	300.00

Titles of Appropriations	Appropriations and Credits	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town officers' salaries	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,063.50		$ 63.50
Town officers' expenses	100.00	161.87		61.87
Town hall expense		215.75		215.75
State aid construction	1,254.00	1,400.64		146.64
Highways and bridges	3,500.00	3,746.60		246.60
Town construction	250.00	157.70	92.30	
Library	50.00	89.22		39.22
Old age assistance	350.00	558.18		208.18
Support of Town poor	300.00	280.06	19.94	
Cemeteries and Memorial Day	8.00	136.52		128.52
County tax	1,265.46	1,265.46		
School tax	4,790.14	3,625.64	1,164.50	
White Mountain Region Association	42.48	84.96		42.48
Fire department	250.00	39.38	210.62	
Plymouth hospital	200.00			
	$13,360.08	$12,825.48	$ 1,487.36	$ 1,152.76

Statement of Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer	$ 2,326.38
Due from state	
Bounties, hedgehogs 1942-43	13.20

Bounties, bear 1942-43	5.00
Inkell mortgage	149.50
Uncollected taxes 1936	34.95
Uncollected taxes 1937	52.77
Uncollected taxes 1938	62.38
Uncollected taxes 1939	8.00
Uncollected taxes 1940	12.00
Uncollected taxes 1941	33.40
Uncollected taxes 1942	1,622.30
Due from land sale 1936	42.24
Due from land sale 1937	32.59
Due from land sale 1938	60.71
Due from land sale 1939	158.91
Due from land sale 1940	198.96
Due from land sale 1941	318.82
	$ 5,132.11

Statement of Liabilities

Due school district, balance appropriation	$ 2,290.14
Due Plymouth hospital	200.00
Due dog tax	125.10
Due Pemigewasset National bank	500.00
Total	$ 3,115.24
Excess of assets over liabilities	$ 2,016.87
	$ 5,132.11

Town Property

Hazeltine land	$ 100.00
Town house	1,000.00
Tool house	400.00
School houses	3,000.00
Road roll and scraper	50.00
Road machine	50.00
Equipment of school houses	825.00
Equipment of town house	50.00
Fire equipment	50.00
Snow blade	50.00

Two tractors and plows	1,500.00
King Camp and land	200.00
Ora Downing homestead	300.00
George Ripley homestead	700.00
Sidney Boyce homestead	600.00
Sanding machine	100.00
Total	$ 9,675.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

For the Year Ending as of January 31, 1943

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1939

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1942	$	18.00
Total debits	$	18.00

Credits

Total remittances to treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	$	10.00
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list		8.00
Total credits	$	18.00

Uncollected Poll Taxes as 1939 List

Adams, Elvira	$	2.00
Boyce, Mrs. Carl		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Ernest		2.00
Shores, Irene		2.00
Total uncollected	$	8.00

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of January 31, 1943, on account of the tax levy of 1939, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) IDA M. HORNER,
Tax Collector.

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1940

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1942	$	26.00
Total debits	$	26.00

Credits

Total remittances to treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	$	14.00
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list		12.00
Total credits	$	26.00

Uncollected Poll Taxes as 1940 List

Adams, Elvira	$	2.00
Boyce, Mrs. Carl		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Ernest		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Richard		2.00
Reitsma, Mrs. Herman		2.00
Shores, Irene		2.00
Total uncollected	$	12.00

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of January 31, 1943, on account of the tax levy of 1940, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) IDA M. HORNER,
Tax Collector.

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1941

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1942	$ 2,082.02
Added poll taxes during the year	10.00
Interest collected during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	80.42
Total debits	$ 2,172.44

Credits

Total remittances to treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	$ 2,107.44
Abatements made during year	31.60
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	33.40
Total credits	$ 2,172.44

Uncollected Taxes as 1941 List

	Property	Poll
Adams, Elvira		$ 2.00
Boyce, Lyman	$ 4.60	
Downing, Clara		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Ernest		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Ora		2.00
Downing, Thomas	9.60	2.00
Harding, Walter		2.00
Haynes, Franklin	3.20	
Robertson, Charles		2.00
Walker, William		2.00
	$ 17.40	$ 16.00

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(Signed) IDA M. HORNER,

Tax Collector.

Summary of Warrant, Levy of 1942

Debit

Taxes committed to collector:	
Property taxes	$11,105.86
Poll taxes	486.00
Total warrant	$11,591.86
Added taxes:	
Property taxes	11.09
Poll taxes	38.00
Interest collected	7.54
Total debits	$11,648.49

Credits

Total remittance to treasurer during fiscal year ended January 31, 1943	$ 9,768.10
Discounts allowed	212.72
Abatements	45.37
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	1,622.30
Total credits	$11,648.49

Uncollected Resident Taxes

	Property	Poll
Adams, Fred	$ 26.10	$ 2.00
Adams, George	26.10	2.00
Adams, Homer	33.93	2.00
Ames, Sadie	5.22	
Anderson, Eric, Sr.	54.03	2.00
Benton, Scott	35.24	2.00
Bishop, L. W.	52.20	
Boyce, Lyman	10.44	2.00
Brown, A. S.	39.15	
Brown, L. N.	49.59	2.00
Dobson, Annie	73.08	2.00
Dolloff, Ivan	39.15	2.00
Downing, Howard	10.44	

Downing, Lawrence	29.75	2.00
Downing, Thomas	7.83	
Drake, Frank	7.83	
Drake, Harris	11.75	2.00
Gero, Alec	2.61	
Gero, Annie	20.88	
Harding, Cora	7.83	2.00
Haynes, Franklin	2.61	
Hartwell, Nathaniel	16.05	
Haynes, Kenneth	5.22	2.00
Horner, W. J.	194.45	
Howland, Glenroy	26.10	
Labricque, Queenie	39.15	2.00
Lake, Anna	60.03	
Merrill, Roxie	78.30	2.00
Messer, Eben	15.66	2.00
Plummer, Frank	13.05	2.00
Reitsma, Herman	7.83	2.00
Robinson, Andrew	89.26	2.00
Rogers, Dave	23.49	
Scott, Dorothy	52.20	
Shores, L. G.	75.04	2.00
Thompson, George	2.61	2.00
Uhlman, Harry	37.58	2.00
Uhlman, Roy	47.50	2.00
Uhlman, Roy and Morton	2.61	
White, Norton	23.49	2.00
	$ 1,355.38	$ 48.00

Uncollected Non-resident Taxes

Avery, Amos	$ 5.22
Avery, Mildred	13.05
Batchelder, Harold	1.31
Chase, Anthony	16.97
Nelson, Florence	2.61
Porter, Mrs. R. J.	23.49
Roby, Walter	2.61
Sawyer, A. H.	15.66
	$ 80.92

Uncollected Poll Taxes

Adams, Beatrice	$	2.00
Adams, Elvira		2.00
Adams, Harry		2.00
Adams, Stanley		2.00
Anderson, Eric, Jr.		2.00
Anderson, Mrs. Eric Jr.		2.00
Anderson, Mrs. Eric Sr.		2.00
Anderson, James		2.00
Ames, Roy		2.00
Ames, Mrs. Roy		2.00
Benton, Evelyn		2.00
Boyce, Annie		2.00
Boyce, Preston		2.00
Boyce, Sidney		2.00
Broad, Carl		2.00
Brown, Merlin		2.00
Brown, Mrs. Merlin		2.00
Campbell, Helen		2.00
Campbell, Sidney		2.00
Converse, Kate		2.00
Converse, Walter		2.00
Curtis, W. K.		2.00
Danforth, Daniel		2.00
Danforth, Lillian		2.00
Downing, Clara		2.00
Downing, Ernest		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Ernest		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Lawrence		2.00
Downing, Lawrence		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Lawrence		2.00
Downing, Maurice		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Maurice		2.00
Downing, Ora		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Ora		2.00
Downing, Richard		2.00
Downing, Mrs. Richard		2.00
Drake, Rena		2.00
Duffy, Glen		2.00
Duffy, Mrs. Glen		2.00
Hanson, Richard		2.00
Hanson, Mrs. Richard		2.00
Harding, Walter		2.00

Howland, Elizabeth	2.00
Hutchins, Alberta	2.00
Labricque, Emil	2.00
Lake, Anna	2.00
Lake, Gilbert	2.00
LaRue, Mrs. Henry	2.00
Merrill, Frank	2.00
Merrill, Mildred	2.00
Mitchell, Barbara	2.00
Peaslee, Jesse	2.00
Reitsma, Mrs. Herman	2.00
Robertson, Charles	2.00
Robertson, Mary	2.00
Shores, Mrs. Lawrence	2.00
Shores, Clifton	2.00
Spooner, Allen	2.00
Stiles, Mrs. George	2.00
Sutherland, Martha	2.00
Sweeney, William	2.00
Sweeney, Mrs. William	2.00
Thompson, Mildred	2.00
Uhlman, Catherine	2.00
Uhlman, Mildred	2.00
Uhlman, Morton	2.00
Uhlman, Mrs. Roy	2.00
White, Evelyn	2.00
Woodbury, Albert	2.00
	$ 138.00

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(Signed) IDA M. HORNER,

Tax Collector.

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of January 31, 1943

Debit

	Tax sale on account of levy of: 1940	1939
Taxes due town as of Feb. 1, 1942	$ 427.70	$ 288.29
Interest at 12% collected after sale	31.30	35.02
Total debits	$ 459.00	$ 323.31

Credit

Remittances to treasurer during year	260.04	164.40
Unredeemed taxes as of Jan. 31, 1943	198.96	158.91
Total credits	$ 459.00	$ 323.31

Tax Sale on Account of Levy of 1941

Debit

Taxes sold to town:		
Taxes	$ 400.16	
Interest to date of sale	22.89	
Costs and redemption fees	42.71	
Total amount of sale		$ 465.76
Interest at 12% collected after sale		9.43
Cost of mortgage notices		1.42
Total debits		$ 476.61

Credit

Total remittances to treasurer for redemptions during fiscal year ended Jan. 31, 1943	$ 157.79
Unredeemed taxes as of January 31 1943	318.82
Total credits	$ 476.61

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales on Account of Levies of

	1941	1940	1939
Ames, Roy	$ 10.14	$ 10.38	$ 11.20
Boyce, Carl		6.90	7.31
Brown, L. N.	161.40	47.75	
Chase, Anthony	26.55		
Cole, Ollie		6.90	7.31
Downing, Richard	8.74	6.90	7.31
Gero, Alec	8.44		
Gero, Annie	30.45		
Jones, George		6.90	
Morrison, Carl		5.13	
Sawyer, Frank		6.90	7.31
Scott, Dorothy	73.10		
Sweeney, Bernice		101.20	118.47
	$ 318.82	$ 198.96	$ 158.91

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand January 31, 1942	$ 1,342.55
Received for dog licenses	125.10
Received for auto permits 1941-42	1.50
Received for auto permits 1942	387.17
Received for auto permits 1943	3.14
Received from selectmen	2,952.69
Received from Charles Houston, 1934 refund	144.13
Received from Charles Houston, 1935 refund	127.42
Received from Florence Steele, 1936 poll tax	2.00
Received from Florence Steele, 1938 poll tax	4.00
Received from Florence Steele, 1938 refund	106.15
Received from Ida Horner, 1939 poll tax	10.00
Received from Ida Horner, 1939 refund	164.40
Received from Ida Horner, 1940 poll tax	14.00
Received from Ida Horner, 1940 refund	260.04
Received from Ida Horner, 1941 tax	1,684.39
Received from Ida Horner, 1941 land sale	423.05
Received from Ida Horner, 1941 refund	157.79
Received from Ida Horner, 1942 tax	9,768.10
Received from Ralph Steele, county relief	80.95
Total receipts	$17,758.57
Total payments	$15,432.19
Cash on hand January 31, 1943	$ 2,326.38

IRMA SULLIVAN,
Treasurer.

SELECTMEN'S RECEIPTS

Pemigewasset National Bank	$ 2,500.00
State, bear bounties	60.00
State, forest department	5.25
State	24.08
Scott Benton, cemetery lot	10.00
State, railroad tax	73.41

Savings bank tax	161.77
Interest and dividends tax	118.18
Total	$ 2,952.69

SELECTMEN'S PAYMENTS

Clayton Ham, salary selectman	$ 148.75
Charles Descary, salary selectman	95.00
Everett E. Caldon, salary selectman	174.50
Charles Descary, moderator	15.00
Irma Sullivan, salary	200.00
Irma Sullivan, auto commissions	43.25
Vera Hazeltine, salary library	62.00
Nellie Adams, salary library	44.00
Ethel Shores, salary library	12.00
Ida Horner, collector of taxes	100.00
Ralph Steele, supervisor check list	20.00
Ralph Steele, overseer of poor	55.00
Norton White, supervisor check list	22.00
Stearl Hazeltine, supervisor check list	6.00
Eva Merrill, auditor	5.00
Nellie Adams, auditor	5.00
Florence Steele, ballot clerk	7.00
Ida Horner, ballot clerk	7.00
Carl Simond, ballot clerk	4.00
Olive Benton, ballot clerk	4.00
Medos Fountain, ballot clerk	3.00
Scott Benton, care of cemetery	75.00
Scott Benton, cemetery	39.92
Bert Benton, fire warden	9.80
Ralph Steele, police officer	30.00
Record Print, printing town reports	138.50
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc. supplies	10.10
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	6.67
George Ripley, painting signs	6.00
H. W. Noyes, bonds	25.00
F. J. Shores, tranfers	13.33
Carroll Stafford, register probate	.10
Charles E. Dixon, register probate	.20

Treasurer of State N. H., Sandwich Notch road	300.00
Treasurer State of N. H. construction state aid	1,254.00
F. J. Shores, records	10.00
Leroy Uhlman, Road Agent, No. 1	572.99
Scott Benton, Road Agent, No. 2	765.99
Fred Adams, Road Agent, No. 3	580.22
George Fadden, Mill Brook road	157.70
New England Metal Co.	70.31
Alec Gero	7.90
Johnson Lumber Co., plank	75.00
Independent Coal Tar Co.	84.26
Treasurer state of N. H.	7.60
Plymouth Grain Co., salt	58.20
Chase Grain Mill, salt	54.90
E. E. Caldon, road	29.00
Roger Steele, road	25.00
Herbert Broad, Mad River cemetery	21.60
John Goodwin, shovels	22.50
E. E. Caldon, state aid construction	112.70
White Mountain Region Association	84.96
N. H. Clerk Association	2.00
Dr. L. B. Copenhaver	12.00
County tax	1,265.46
U. S. Auto Truck Guide	4.85
Pemigewasset National Bank note and interest	2,040.00
Clarence Downing, water trough	3.00
Bounties, hedgehogs	13.20
Frances Avery, libraries	89.22
Steele Garage	209.81
George Fadden, bear bounty	5.00
Town officers' expenses	161.87
Vital statistics	13.00
Florence Steele, collector deed	1.00
Irma Sullivan, school treasurer	3,625.64
Ralph Steele, overseer of poor, expense town	280.06
Ralph Steele, overseer of poor old age assistance	558.13
Ralph Steele, overseer of poor, county	68.95
Ida Horner, land sale	423.05
Ida Horner, cost and register fees	42.71
Clayton Ham. snow account	489.50

John Rivers, plowing snow and sanding	414.80
E. E. Caldon, janitor	5.00
John Rivers, state aid construction	21.94
Total payments	$15,432.19

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

Ralph Steele, Overseer

County Cases, Direct Relief:		
Received from county due from last year	$	12.00
Walter Applebee	$	6.00
Andrew Fraser		62.95
Drew from town	$	68.95
Received from county	$	68.95
Old Age Assistance		
Drew from town	$	558.18
Paid state of New Hampshire	$	558.18
Town Cases, Direct Relief:		
Albert Petrain	$	278.26
Mike Nugent		1.80
	$	280.06
Drew from town	$	280.06

ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

Leroy P. Uhlman, Road Agent, No. 1

Leroy Uhlman	$	194.80
Roy Sawyer		89.40
Everett Sawyer		73.60
Burley Avery		48.00
Carl Broad		33.60
Richard Uhlman		33.20
Perley Colby		26.40
Leon Brown		19.20
Stanley Adams		10.00
Norton White		9.60
Estabrook Market		8.00
Hibbard's Garage		7.19
W. B. Avery		6.80
Alec Gero		6.40
Harry Uhlman		3.20
Beryl Monroe		2.00
David Rodgers		1.40
Albert Lamson		1.60
Minnie Dolloff		.60
Total	$	574.69
Drawn from town	$	572.99
Due agent	$	1.70

Scott Benton, Road Agent, No. 2

Fred Adams	$	14.00
Sam Truesdale		8.00
George Fadden		2.00
Bert Benton		3.50
A. G. Cutler		36.55
Clayton Ham		2.25
Spencer Ham		2.25
Smith Merrill		16.50
Lawrence Shores		32.50
Clifton Shores		32.50

Nelson Sweeney	6.50
Lawrence Steele	1.00
E. E. Caldon	1.60
Gordon Willey	16.00
C. B. Simonds	9.50
Everett Steele	25.00
Eliza Haynes	7.00
John Rivers	60.84
Scott Benton	359.40
Total	$ 636.89
Drawn from town	$ 636.79
Balance due agent	$ .10

Scott Benton, Snow Fence and Sanding 1942-1943

Scott Benton	$ 40.60
John Rivers	29.90
Bert Benton	29.00
C. B. Simond	25.50
Eliza Haynes	4.20
Total	$ 129.20
Drawn from town	$ 129.20

Fred Adams, Road Agent, District No. 3

Kenneth Haynes	$ 4.80
Richard Bradley	3.20
Stanley Adams	13.20
Nelson Brown	18.00
W. B. Avery for paper	1.25
John Rivers	9.60
George Adams	72.30
Steele Garage, for gas and oil	7.77
Sam Truesdale	14.50
Ralph Steele, labor and truck	25.80
Leon Brown	25.60
Smith Merrill, truck	81.60

Eliza Haynes, gravel		4.80
Daniel Danforth		8.00
Fred Adams		136.00
Lester Bradley, logs		10.00
Johnson Lumber Co., plank		30.00
Clayton Ham, truck		3.00
Total	$	469.42
Total drawn from town	$	469.42

Fred Adams, Road Agent, Sanding

January 31, 1942 to January 31, 1943

Ralph Steele, truck	$	48.80
Fred Adams		31.00
Stanley Adams		1.60
Nelson Brown		1.60
George Adams		18.10
Eliza Haynes, gravel		2.20
Floyd Haynes		4.50
Will Downing		1.50
Floyd Danforth		1.50
Total	$	110.80
Total drawn from town	$	110.80

MILL BROOK CONSTRUCTION

George Fadden, Foreman

John Goodwin, shovel	$	22.50
John Rivers		14.80
Ralph Steele		13.50
A. L. Downing		13.50
Bert Avery		13.50
Bert Benton		4.50
Scott Benton		47.10
George Fadden		4.50

E. E. Caldon, gravel	12.80
Smith Merrill	11.00
Total	$ 157.70
Drawn from town	$ 157.70

John Rivers, Snow Plowing and Sanding

John Rivers	$ 330.56
Robert Rivers	32.70
Alec Gero	3.50
Everett Sawyer	2.00
Roy Sawyer	3.60
Morton Uhlman	1.85
Descary Store	5.50
Donald Dingwall	1.60
Sargent	1.00
Truman Heath	5.50
Hibbard Garage	10.50
John Hayward	13.00
Charlie Robertson	3.50
Total	$ 414.80
Drawn from town	$ 414.80

Clayton Ham, Snow Report

Clayton Ham	$ 243.50
Spencer Ham	179.50
Maurice Downing	5.00
Norton White	29.00
Floyd Hayes	5.00
Lester Gilpatric	5.00
Smith Merrill	17.00
Harry Evans	3.50
Will Downing	2.00
Total	$ 489.50
Drawn from town	$ 489.50

LIBRARY TRUSTEE REPORT

February 15, 1943

Receipts

1942		
Jan. 31	Cash on hand	$ .36
April	Received from selectmen	25.00
July	Received from selectmen	22.67
Aug.	Received from selectmen	15.00
Jan.	Received from selectmen	12.33
Dues received from librarians		2.28
Total receipts		$ 77.64

Payments

Books from R. H. Huntting Co.	$ $ 37.50
Magazines	13.84
Library supplies	3.80
New Library sign	7.50
Insurance for three years	15.00
Total payments	$ 77.64

FRANCES AVERY,
Library Trustee.

LIBRARY REPORT

January 31, 1942 to September 1, 1942

Number of books circulated		868
Number of Bookmobile circulated		158
Magazines circulated		95
Books given by state		5
Number of books purchased		28
Gift of books from Mrs. Franklin		10
Gift of books from Annie Gero		8
Received from fines	$	1.00

VERA HAZELTINE,
Librarian.

This report is for eight months from January 1942 until September 1st, when Nellie Merrill took over.

LIBRARY REPORT

September 1, 1942 to January 31, 1943

Number of books circulated		277
Number of Bookmobile circulated		58
Magazines circulated		161
Number of books purchased		14
Number of books given from state		15
Gift of books from Miss Dame		11
Gift of books from authors		2
Received from fines	$	1.28

NELLIE MERRILL ADAMS,
Librarian.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Having examined the accounts of Selectmen, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Treasurer and Road Agents, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched, for the year ending January 31, 1943.

OLIVE BENTON,
NELLIE ADAMS,
Auditors.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Thornton, N. H., on January 31, 1943.

Date of Creation	PURPOSE OF CREATION Care of Cemetery Lots	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Int.	Balance of Income 1st of Year	Income During Year	Expended during Year	Balance of Income End of Year
Jan. 12, 1929	Leonard Durgin by Dora James	Plymouth Guar. Savings Bank	$100.00	3½% Interest	15.54	2.90	2.00	16.44
Jan. 12, 1929	Houston and Carleton by Wm. Houston	" " "	150.00		29.48	4.50	2.00	31.98
Jan. 12, 1929	John Colby by Emma Smith	" " "	50.00		3.24	1.34	1.00	3.58
Jan. 12, 1929	Albert Barnard by Clara Merrill	" " "	100.00		11.59	2.80	2.00	12.39
Apr. 1, 1936	Dana Fadden, Sr. by James Fadden	" " "	100.00		5.74	2.65	2.00	6.39
Apr. 1, 1936	E. C. Burleigh by Abbie Burleigh	" " "	50.00		2.14	1.31	1.00	2.45
Apr. 1, 1936	A. C. & Daniel Moulton by Lena Moulton	" " "	200.00		16.53	5.44	5.00	16.97
May 26, 1936	John Burleigh by Abbie Burleigh	" " "	100.00		3.30	2.60	2.00	3.90
Oct. 13, 1936	Mason & Smith by Frances Smith	" " "	75.00		5.71	2.01	3.00	4.72
Jan. 31, 1940	Daniel James by Melvina Gilman	" " "	50.00			.95		.95
May 24, 1940	Romanzo & John Johnson by Romanzo Johnson	" " "	100.00		1.58	2.54	2.00	2.12
Feb. 27, 1941	Harry & Will Emmons by Geo Morrill Frances Emmons	" " "	200.00			4.28	1.00	3.28
Nov. 3, 1941	John Elkins & John Richards by Susan Elkins	" " "	100.00			1.04	1.00	.04
Jan. 30, 1943	Warren Moulton by Annie Moulton	" " "	50.00					
		TOTALS	1425.00		94.85	34.36	24.00	105.21

KENNETH W. ROBBINS
GLENROY M. HOWLAND, } Trustees.
SCOTT A. BENTON

Births Registered in the Town of Thornton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1942

Date of Birth 1942	Name of Child (If any)	Sex, Cond: Male, Female	Liv or S'brn	No of Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan 17	William Chas Descary	M	L	1	W	Charles F Descary	Pauline Conrad	W	Thornton	Storekeeper	Rochester	Nova Scotia
Feb 17	Pamela Jane Steele	F	L	2	W	Lawrence W Steele	Francis E Braley	W	Thornton	Farmer	Thornton	Whitefield
Mar 27	Robert Charles Uhlman	M	L	3	W	Leroy P Uhlman	Marjorie E McCoy	W	Thornton	Farmer	Thornton	Campton
May 18	Lois Margaret Uhlman	F	L	2	W	Morton Uhlman	Mildred Harrington	W	Thornton	Mill worker	Thornton	Manchester
May 28	Geraldine E Anderson	F	L	3	W	Eric R Anderson	Olive F Littlefield	W	Thornton	Mill worker	Newark N J	North Woodstock
July 26	Raymond Calvin Monroe	M	L	1	W	Beryl C Monroe	Hazel L Allen	W	Thornton	Gen trucking	Peacham Vt	Warren
Aug 26	Lillian Pearl Sweeney	F	L	1	W	William F Sweeney	Irene P Shores	W	Thornton	Mill hand	Plymouth	Thornton
Sept 28	Fred Dexter Merrill	M	L	3	W	Fred D Merrill	Eva R Avery	W	Thornton	Farmer	Thornton	East Rumney
Nov 26	Katherine P Reitsma	F	L	6	W	Herman W Reitsma	Viola B Applebee	W	Thornton	Laborer	Boston Mass	North Haverhill
Dec 16	Patricia Ann Gilpatric	F	L	3	W	Lester H Gilpatric	Ellen M Hammell	W	Thornton	Laborer	Derry	Ashland
Dec 19	David Allen Robertson	M	L	4	W	Andrew C Robertson	Mary Ann McLeod	W	Thornton	Farmer	Tabucintac N B	Thornton

Marriages Registered in the Town of Thornton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1942

Date—1942	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Times Married	Name residence and official station of person by whom married
Mar 7	West Thornt	William B Elmer	Boston Mass	41	W	Electrical Eng	New York N Y	Charles B Elmer	New Britain Conn	Deceased	D	Charles Blakeney
								Clara R Bull	W Springfield Ms	Social Service		Clergyman
		Aletha A Steele	W Thornton	30	W		No Woodstock	Edgar H Smith	Coventry Vt	Deceased	W	Woodstock
								Irma Selby	Dunham Que	Housewife		
Mar 23	Woodstock	Alfred A Howard	W Thornton	22	W	Mill hand	Meredith	Zedock Howard	West Canaan	Farmer	1	Charles Blakeney
								Della Thompson	Unknown	Deceased		Clergyman
		Theda E Morrison	W Thornton	18	W	At home	Sanbornton	Clifton Morrison	Sanbornton	Farmer	1	Woodstock
								Doris Beamen	Laconia	Housewife		
Apr 1	Woodstock	Warren W Ross	W Thornton	20	W	Mill hand	Vergennes Vt	Walter E Ross	Farsdale Vt	Gen Labor	1	Charles Blakeney
								Mildred A Palmer	Vergennes Vt	Housewife		Clergyman
		Jacqulean Gage	W Thornton	18	W	Housework	Brandon Vt	Charles W Gale	Brandon Vt	Carpenter	1	Woodstock
								Pauline Summers	Colchester Vt	Housewife		
Sept 19	Thornton	Owen K Hughes	Thornton	23	W	Civ P Ser Cmp	Rock Hill S C	Walter L Hughes	Trenton N J	Teaching	1	John C Prince
								Jewell Dawes	Trenton N J	Housewife		Clergyman
		Gwendolyn Couse	Madison Wis	26	W	Secretary	Fond-Du-Lak Wi	Walter S Couse	Adams Co Wis	Trainman	1	Plymouth
								Harriet E Reed	Hollandale Co Wis	Housewife		
Oct 1	Meredith	Charles L Kimball	Thornton	34	W	Farmer	No Woodstock	John E Kimball	Malden Mass	Deceased	1	George F Currier
								Martha Wilson	Quebec Can	Deceased		Clergyman
		Irene Louise Jenkins	Campton	22	W	At home	Newark Vt	Henry E Jenkins	Coventry Vt	Deceased	1	Meredith
								Florence Hodgson	Sandwich	Housekeeper		
Nov 7	W Thornton	Fred S Adams	W Thornton	34	W	Farmer	W Thornton	George Adams	Woodsville	Gen Labor	1	Calder M Miller
								Bessie Willey	Thornton	Housekeeper		Clergyman
		Nellie Clara Merrill	W Thornton	27	W	At home	W Thornton	Albert Merrill	Thornton	Farming	1	Woodstock
								Edith Downing	Ellsworth	Housewife		

Deaths Registered in the Town of Thornton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1942

Date of Death 1942	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex and Cond'n			Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days		Male, Female	Color	Single, mar. w		Father	Mother		
Mar 10	Plymouth	Frances Helen Smith	75	4	11	Thornton	F	W	S	Housekeeper	New York	Thornton	David F Smith	Mary H Suitor
Apr 23	Plymouth	Arthur C Moulton	76	9	7	W Campton	M	W	W	Farmer	Ellsworth	Bridgewater	Chace P Moulton	Sarah Pillsbury
June 26	Haverhill	Israel Starr	62	6	16	Lowell Mass	M	W	S	Laborer	Canada	Germany	Lewis Starr	Mary Stone
Sept 29	Thornton	Jennie Boyle	49	5	7	Prince Ed Is	F	W	W	Mill worker	Prince Edward Is	Prince Edward Is	Murdock McDonald	Charlotte Silliker
Oct 1	Haverhill	Eugene Wood	68	0	24	Stoddard	M	W	M	None	Unknown	Unknown	George Wood	Harriet Ruffle
Oct 6	Thornton	Frederick W Scott	70	11	18	Nova Scotia	M	W	M	Carpenter	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Dec 14	Thornton	Paul Trainor		7	5	Plymouth	M	W	S	None	Maine	Vermont	Leland L Trainor	Merle C Howland

IRMA SULLIVAN, Town Clerk.

School Report

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Thornton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the ninth day of March, 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Thornton this 17th day of February 1943.

EVA S. GREY,
ROXEY I. MERRILL,
NELLIE M. ADAMS,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EVA S. GREY,
ROXEY I. MERRILL,
NELLIE M. ADAMS,
School Board.

REPORT OF THORNTON SCHOOL BOARD

School Board

Eva S. Grey

Roxey Merrill

Nellie Adams

Treasurer

Irma Sullivan

Clerk

Irma Sullivan

Auditor

Frances Avery

Superintendent of Schools

Allan M. McCurdy

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For Year Ending June 30, 1942

1941	
Received from selectmen appropriation	$ 3,500.00
1942	
Received from selectmen appropriation	1,624.96
Received from selectmen forest reserve	91.78
Received from selectmen, dog money	108.90
Received from Stearl Hazeltine, check returned from Sears	13.95
Received from state treasurer	2,797.87
Received from state treasurer	35.00
Total receipts	$ 8,172.46
Cash on hand June 30, 1941	96.74
	$ 8,269.20
Paid school board orders	$8,038.69
Cash on hand June 30, 1942	$ 230.51

IRMA SULLIVAN,
District Treasurer, Thornton.

Auditors Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Thornton, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942, and find them correct in all respects.

FRANCES AVERY,
Auditor.

July 1, 1942.

FINANCIAL REPORT

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1942

Receipts

State and Federal Aid	
Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	$ 2,797.87
National forest reserve (school's half) (from selectmen)	91.78
Total	$ 2,889.65
Income from Local Taxation	
For support of elementary schools	$ 2,972.98
For high school tuition	1,066.07
For salaries of district officers	125.00
For payment of per capita tax	252.00
School census	8.95
For health supervision	50.00
For fence	125.00
Balance of previous appropriation (selectmen)	524.96
Total	$ 5,124.96
From Sources Other Than Taxation	
Dog licenses (selectmen)	$ 108.90
Elementary school tuition	35.00
Rebate on order	13.95
Total	$ 157.85
Total receipts from all sources	$ 8,172.46
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1941	$ 96.74
	$ 8,269.20

Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books, and other financial records of the school board of

Thornton of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANCES AVERY,
Auditor.

Payments

	General	High	Elementary
Administration			
Salaries of district officers	$ 125.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	197.20		
School census	8.95		
Expense of administration	12.29		
Instruction			
Teachers' salaries			$ 4,425.00
Text books			91.64
Scholars' supplies			142.94
Flags and appurtenances			11.40
Other expense of instruction			13.03
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant			
Janitor service			185.00
Fuel			189.25
Water, light, janitors' supplies			185.39
Minor repairs and expenses			389.69
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities			
Health supervision			50.00
Transportation of pupils			109.64
Elementary school tuition			263.00
Other special activities			2.03
High school tuition		1,066.07	

Fixed Charges			
Per capita tax	252.00		
Insurance	35.00		
Outlay for Construction and Equipment			
Land and new buildings	50.28		
New equipment	105.30		
Debt, Interest and Other Charges			
Payment of bills of previous year	128.59		
Total payments for all purposes	$ 914.61	$ 1,066.07	$ 6,058.01
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1942)	$ 230.51		
Grand total	$ 8,269.20		

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1942

Cash on hand, balance June 30, 1942	$ 230.51
Accounts due to district appropriations 1941-42	1,271.13
Total assets	$ 1,501.64

Liabilities, June 30, 1942

Amount reserved for special purpose fence appropriation	$ 125.00
Total liabilities	$ 125.00
Surplus	$ 1,376.64
Grand total	$ 1,501.64

Detailed Statement of Payments

Administration	
Salaries of district officers	
Irma Sullivan, treasurer	$ 25.00
Stearl Hazeltine	50.00
Roxey Merrill	25.00
Eva Grey	25.00
	$ 125.00
Superintendent's excess salary	$ 197.20
School census	$ 8.95
Expense of administration	$ 12.29
Instruction	
Carolyn Stevens	$ 925.00
Isabelle Kimball	900.00
Persis Doe	900.00
Glenn Sturtevant	875.00
Phyllis Sommers	825.00
	$ 4,425.00
Text books	$ 91.64
Scholars' Supplies	$ 142.94
Flags	$ 11.40
Other Expense of Instruction	$ 13.03

Janitor Service

	$ 185.00

Fuel

Laurence Shores	$ 32.00
Roy Lyford	2.25
Smith Merrill	32.00
Roy Sawyer	54.00
Eda Steele	59.00
Eda Steele, kindling	10.00
	$ 189.25

Water, Light, and Janitors' Supplies

	$ 185.39

Minor Repairs

	$ 389.69

Medical Inspection

	$ 50.00

Transportation of Pupils

R. W. Nevens	$ 26.00
Bert Benton	83.64
	$ 109.64

High School Tuition

Plymouth	$ 547.30
Woodstock	161.98
Lincoln	356.79
	$ 1,066.07

Elementary School Tuition

Woodstock	$ 152.00
Campton	111.00
	$ 263.00

Other Special Activities

	$ 2.03

New Equipment

	$ 105.30

Fixed Charges	
Insurance	$ 35.00
Bills of Previous Year	
	$ 128.59
Land and New Buildings	
Fence and grading	$ 50.28
Per Capita Tax	
	$ 252.00
Total payments	$ 8,038.69
Cash on hand June 30,	$ 230.51
Grand total	$ 8,269.20

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1943-1944

School District of Thornton

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1943.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools

Teachers' salaries	$ 4,775.00	
Text books	85.00	
Scholars' supplies	175.00	
Flags and appurtenances	10.00	
Other expense of instruction	25.00	
Janitor service	230.00	
Fuel	350.00	
Water, light, janitors' supplies	200.00	
Minor repairs and expenses	125.00	
Health supervision (medical inspection)	150.00	
Payment of elementary tuitions	190.00	
Other special activities	10.00	
		$ 6,325.00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	125.00	
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district)	10.00	
Payment of tuition in high schools and academies (estimated by board)	1,200.00	
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by supervisory union)	200.00	
Per capita tax (report of state treasurer)	212.00	
* Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	120.00	
		$ 1,867.00

Total amount required to meet school board's budget		$ 8,192.00

Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1943 (estimate)	$ 1,000.00	
State aid (December 1943 allotment) estimated	3,000.00	
Dog tax (estimate)	100.00	
Other estimated income	100.00	
Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)		$ 4,200.00
Assessment required to balance school board's budget		$ 3,992.00

EVA S. GREY,
ROXEY I. MERRILL,
NELLIE ADAMS,
School Board.

Thornton, N. H., February 17, 1943.

* This item includes legal obligations such as judgments, orders of State Board of Health on complaint, necessary rent and costs of authorized administration and insurance. Repairs in excess of 5% of the school money, new equipment and major construction must be raised under special articles in the warrant.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the School District of Thornton:

I hereby submit my ninth annual report of the schools of this district. No changes have occurred in the teaching staff of the district. The statistical report for the year 1941-1942 appears at the end of this report. The work of all the schools is motivating well and the children appear to be happily engaged in worthwhile activities. On January 6 the enrollments were: Lyford 9, West Thornton 12, No. 6, 10, Center 19 and Mad River 10 making 60 in all. The district is hardly holding its own in the enrollment of its elementary schools.

Recognition of the splendid work of all the teachers in registration of sugar, gas and oil is hereby expressed. They spent many hours of tedious work in participating in those registrations in an efficient and kindly manner. The Rationing Board was very cooperative and its assistance is duly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN M. McCURDY,
Superintendent of Schools.

THORNTON SCHOOL DISTRICT 1941-1942

School and Teacher	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Percent Attendance	Superintendent's Visits	Board's Visits
Lyford Phyllis Sommers	6	5.02	98.61	10	2
Center School Carolyn T. Stevens	19	18.40	95.32	17	2
Mad River School Glenn H. Sturtevant	17	14.87	90.5	11	1
West Thornton Persis Doe	26	22.32	90.72	12	2
Number Six Isabelle Kimball	14	12.21	91.97	10	1
Totals	82	72.82	92.22	60	8
Less 1 in 2 schools	1				
	81				

Enrollment by Grades

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total
1	5	5	10
2	3	4	7
3	8	7	15
4	2	6	8
5	7	4	11
6	13	2	15
7	2	4	6
8	6	3	9
Total	46	35	81

Graduates of Thornton Grammar Schools 1942

Alice McDonald
Clarence Parris
Donald Merrill
Ruth Downing
John Anderson
Richard Uhlman
Paul Marsh
Marjorie Steele

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To Thornton School Board:

Herewith I submit the report of school nursing from September, 1941 to July, 1942.

Children inspected	60
Symptoms of defects found:	
Dental	34
Vision	14
Tonsils	11
Enlarged glands	2
Underweight	5
Unvaccinated	9
Speech	1
These corrections were reported made:	
Dental	46
Tonsils	4
Vision—7 new glasses, 2 lenses changed	

A very successful dental clinic was held at the dentist's offices at Plymouth at which 29 children were treated. The Lincoln Red Cross helped finance this.

One pair of glasses was furnished by the Sight Conservation Department of Public Welfare.

36 schools calls, 35 home calls and 13 business calls were made in connection with the work.

Classroom inspection and weighing were done at intervals through the year and talks on nutrition, personal cleanliness and general health were given.

19 cases of mumps were reported but otherwise the health of the children was good.

At the beginning of the school year 1942, the children were again inspected and these defects recorded:

Children inspected	63
Dental	32

Vision	9
Tonsils	6
Glands	7
Underweight	7
Speech	1

All the children above the second grade were tested with the audiometer for defective hearing and two were found to have a defect. A clinic for hearing cases was held at the Plymouth Clinic Center.

Four children attended the chest clinic and two have had chest X-rays.

Three pairs of new glasses have been reported and four have had lenses changed.

We expect to have the usual dental and tonsil clinics in the spring.

This year the health of the children has been exceptionally good.

I take this opportunity to thank the children, parents, teachers and all others interested for their splendid cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. LOVETT, R. N.

School Nurse.